

## Miller & Rhoads. Children's Wash Suits, \$2.48 Each, They Have Been \$3.98 to \$5.98.

About fifty of this season's suits will be placed on sale to-morrow morning at \$2.48 each, which is a reduction in price of over one-half in some of them.

They consist of Madras, White Flannel and Solid Chambray—most of them with large sailor collars. Children will need these suits at the beginning of the vacation trips, and we want to close them out—hence the low prices.

### If You Want Summer Silks

At Low Prices;

Read What Follows.

Silks, 19c, made to sell for 39c, and 50c.

This lot consists of odd pieces, short ends, etc., of Wash Silks, Taffeties, Satin, Serges, Plaid and Striped Kalki.

Kalki Silks 29c.

Shepherd's Checked, Kalki Silks, all pure silk, 10-inches wide, 29c.

White Japanese Silk, 29c.

7-inches wide, soft and sheer.

Black Waterproof Silk, 39c.

12-inches wide, a regular 60c, grade.

### Don't overlook these items:

19c. for All-Over Lace Hose for ladies worth 25c.

39c. for Lace Lisle Hose, worth 50c.

50c. for Cobweb Gauze Hose, worth 75c.

Children's 25c. Muslin Drawers reduced to 15c.

Umbrella styles, all sizes, some trimmed with embroidery, others with lace.

of the Woman's College, this city, and the daughter of Rev. C. Ryland, of Richmond College, has just passed the B. S. degree at Columbia College, New York.

Miss Williams, of Boynton, Va., and a young lady friend are spending several days in Richmond.

Mrs. Annie Davis, formerly of Richmond, but more recently of Norfolk, is at No. 215 East Franklin Street.

Mrs. Henry Watkins, who has been the guest of friends near Danville for the past two weeks, was expected to return to the city yesterday.

"The Old Homestead, Where I First Met," was bought up at the Newspaper Artists' exhibit by Mr. A. R. Holladay. Mr. Jonathan Bryan was the purchaser of "The Old Bulwark," and Mr. A. R. Holladay of "The Coming Storm."

Mrs. Paul Rutherford McPadden, with her little son and nurse, is visiting her mother, Mrs. N. M. Silbert, of No. 614 East Grace Street.

The fact that Miss Fairchild, of Boston, met Queen Nathalie, the mother-in-law of the late Queen Draga, in Italy, serves to link Miss Fairchild's name by association with the recent Serbian tragedy. Miss Fairchild spent a winter in Richmond some years ago, and has many friends here.

The forecast for June is rather doleful. It is prophesied that there will be rain every day during the month, except six.

### AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK

Increases its Capital to \$400,000 and its Surplus to \$100,000.

On account of the steadily increasing business of the American National Bank, the directors and stockholders have decided to increase the capital stock from \$200,000 to \$400,000, and at a meeting of the stockholders held to-day they authorized the directors to sell the \$200,000 additional stock at \$125 per share. The entire amount has already been subscribed for by the stockholders. This is excellent evidence of the popularity of this successful bank.

### Property Transfers.

Richmond: Agnes H. and E. G. DeJarnette to J. W. Briggs, 23 3/4-42 feet on west side of Ninth Street between Clay and Leigh, subject to deed of trust for \$127, \$1,600.

Alex. Delaney to Joseph A. Farley, 37 feet on north side of Leigh Street, 21 feet east of Third, \$2,250.

A. D. Jackson to Thomas W. Jones, 25 feet on west side of Twenty-fifth Street, 115 feet south of Clay Street, \$750.

John F. J. Melton and wife to Thomas McGee, 38 feet on north side of Marshall Street, 21 feet east of Thirty-first, \$2,150.

W. Withers Miller and wife to E. B. Schmitt, 40 1/2-42 feet on St. John Street, southwest corner of Charity, \$2,250.

Frances A. and F. H. Nesbitt to John Sloan, 30 feet on south side of Duval Street, 122 feet east of Fourth, \$1,850.

Mary W. Taylor and R. M. Taylor to J. J. Connelly, 25 feet on east side of Twenty-third Street between Marshall and Clay, \$2,000.

G. W. Warren and wife to J. H. Grant, 30 feet on north side of Monument Avenue, 53 1/2 feet east of Allison, \$2,250.

Honore, C. J. Francis's trust to Samuel A. Hall, 50 feet on west side of Twenty-third Street, northwest corner Q, \$750.

Hattie C. and T. A. Lamb to H. C. Brauer, 29 feet on west side of Barton Avenue, northwest corner Kersting Avenue, Barton Heights, \$1,100.

C. J. Thelmer to Joseph Johnston, 91 feet on north side of Fairfield Street, 170 feet east of Seventeenth, \$350.

### The Glee School.

The first session of The Glee School, of which Mr. Julius E. Leigh is headmaster, closed on Tuesday. The school was held at the home of Mr. Leigh, 115 1/2 feet south of Clay Street, and was a complete success. Below is given the complete standing on final examination:

Hunter Barksdale, 97; Ebert Leigh, 93; Willie Robert, 95. These three received the highest marks. Ebert Leigh, highest mark on history; Hunter Barksdale, Latin and English; Willie Robert, Latin and English. Willie Robert and Hunter Barksdale received the highest marks on history. The gold medal was awarded to Hunter Barksdale.

### Will Tell About Them To-Day.

Fined for Fight in Street.

Police Court.

Squire Lonnie had plenty of time to rest between court sessions last night, for the docket was short.

Robert E. Le Clair's case went over one day. He has two charges against him, one of taking the \$50 belonging to R. J. Trimmer, and the other, that of taking a watch belonging to the Southern Watch Company.

Charles Williams was alleged to have cut Rebecca Braxton, and he will tell the jury.

C. B. Jeter and John Smith were assessed \$250 each for fighting in the street. Clarence Andrews was dismissed of the charge of taking a watch-chain from W. Driver.

William Driver was assessed \$10 for a suspicious B. and he will tell the jury.

Ora Wood paid \$50 for being disorderly on the street.

## TO ELECT A PRESIDENT

Board of Visitors Meet at the University To-Morrow.

### FINE MEN MENTIONED

Dr. Bassett Moore, Presidents Dabney and Venable and Colonel Miles Suggested—Alumni Endorsed Moore in Several Cities.

To-morrow the Board of Visitors of the University of Virginia will meet at the University for the purpose of electing the first president of the institution. Mr. Jefferson, the father of the University, was strongly opposed to the office of presidency. He believed that the best results could be accomplished by having as the head of the school a member of the faculty, who should be elected by themselves, and to which all members of the faculty might aspire and in turn be elected. His idea was that the executive head of the institution should also teach and probably he did not foresee the time when the great schools of the land would be rich enough to employ a large number of professors each, and their management would take the entire time of a man experienced in business matters. Mr. Jefferson was noted for his desire for a democratic school, and he conceived the notion in office the surest way to bring about this end.

### Names Prominently Mentioned.

The most prominently mentioned persons in connection with the presidency are Dr. John Bassett Moore, professor of economics, Columbia University, New York city; President Charles W. Dabney of the University of Tennessee; President Frank Venable of the University of North Carolina, and Colonel George W. Miles of Radford. The latter gentleman has addressed to the Board of Visitors a declaration of himself, which is said by the several close friends of his in Richmond who have seen it to be a paper of great power. The writer claims that he has never been a candidate for the position, and conclusively shows this, according to those who have seen his communication, which is said to be of considerable length. The presidency is said by many to lie between Dr. Moore and President Dabney, though on account of the number of gentlemen whose names may be proposed, it is simply impossible to forecast with any degree of confidence who will be the choice of the board.

The Richmond alumni decided not to make a recommendation, after a preamble in which implicit confidence in the judgment of the board was expressed.

Two members of the board of nine in this city at present. They are Hons. Eppa Hunton, Jr., and Henry C. Stuart. Mr. Hunton is the Richmond member, while Mr. Stuart represents the Southwest. In Richmond, the members are Dr. Moore, Dabney, Venable, and Miles.

### THOMPSON—JONES

Marriage of Well-Known Young People at Pendleton Wednesday.

A quiet but beautiful marriage took place at Pendleton, Va., at the residence of Mrs. E. C. Jones, on Wednesday at 9 P. M. The parties were Dr. John Hamilton Thompson, a popular young man of business, social and religious prominence, of Christiansburg, Va., and Miss Mary Clara Jones, the lovable and charming daughter of Mrs. Ella Carrington Jones and the late J. H. Jones.

The wedding march, from Lohengrin, was beautifully rendered by Miss Mamie Hancock, of Trevilians. As the sweet strains floated out upon the air, performed by the flowers and evergreens which the pastor was decorated with two little girls, pieces of the bride, and in dainty white, entered the room—Janie Jones, who carried a basket of flowers, and Mary Carrington Herring, who bore the ring upon a satin cushion. Miss Margaret Willis, maid of honor, wearing a lovely creation of white, gracefully preceded the bride and groom. He was attired in the conventional black suit. The bride was arrayed in white organza and tulle veil, artistically caught with orange blossoms.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. A. Cutler, former pastor of the bride. His ceremony is always beautiful and impressive, but on this occasion it reached sublimity, and many of the company remarked upon the ease, grace and beauty with which it was performed. He was assisted by Rev. William Thompson, of Brazil, brother of the groom.

A select company of friends was in attendance.

By request, Miss Olive Hancock rendered several vocal solos. Her sweet voice was heartily appreciated by all present.

At 10:30 supper was served, after which Dr. Thompson and his bride took the midnight train for Christiansburg, their permanent home.

### BRAVE MEN'S REUNION

Delightful Gathering of Survivors of Oley Battery on Wednesday.

No veteran military organization in the State is better known than Oley Battery. For bravery and effective fighting during the stress and strain of the war between the States, brave men are great in battle; they are no less in earnest when they turn their attention to recreation. That is the reason for the reunion held by this battery on Wednesday at the Old Pump House, where this statement, the morning was spent in telling of their experiences. After an excellent dinner, the comrades were called to order by Lieutenant R. B. Gunn, the chairman, who is the only surviving member of the battery. The first business was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Richard B. Gunn; vice-president, Jud. B. Wood, secretary, C. C. Baughman; Executive Committee: G. Watt Taylor, W. H. Stratton, Robert T. Briggs, Thomas R. Thompson, "Cohen" Glasbrook, C. C. Baughman and Jud. B. Wood.

Those who answered the roll-call were: Lieutenant Richard B. Gunn, James P. Plourney, W. H. Stratton, R. B. Wood, R. D. Denny, J. P. Puckett, Jud. B. Wood, Alexander Grant, Robert T. Briggs, Thomas R. Thompson, Cohen Glasbrook, Robert T. Butler, C. C. Baughman, H. E. E. Gay, J. H. Reid, J. P. Webster, Jon M. Nolting, S. M. Harvey, Julien Binford, Robert P. Anderson, Richard B. Gunn, Jud. B. Wood, and George Watt Taylor.

The deaths of the following members since the last reunion were reported: Captain David N. Walker, Montgomery West and H. W. Burton, of Corsicana, Texas.

### WILL COME HERE

Mr. Christian to Take Charge of Weddell Memorial—Congratulation.

Mr. G. D. Christian, who has been assisting the Rev. P. W. Neve in his work on Lost Mountain, has been licensed to read by Bishop Gibson and will have charge, during the summer, of the Weddell Memorial Chapel, in this city.

Mr. John W. Wood, corresponding secretary of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society, has written to the Bishop, congratulating him and the Diocese of Virginia for the interest and contributions under the appropriation plan.

The amount raised this year is double that of last.

The Rev. Charles H. Gross, of Cople parish, Westmoreland county, has accepted a call to become assistant at the Memorial Church, Baltimore, of which the Rev. William M. Dame, D. D., is the rector.

A new work for the colored people, of a very promising character, has been organized in the parish of Grace Church, Albemarle, by the rector, the Rev. E. Valentine Jones.

### At the Theatres.

The performance of the Giffon Musical Comedy Company in "Manwell Awkins" gathers force and favor at the Bijou. The company plays the amusing comedy with great dash and spirit and the nervousness of the first performance has entirely disappeared.

It is one of the chief glories of this production that it is full of specialties from end to end, and they are specialties of the highest order. The arrangement of the Japanese turn is very artistic and makes a strong appeal to the eye, while the minstrel first play, specially in the way to keep the house in a roar of laughter.

There were two very large houses yesterday and the place was fairly crowded. The house for the rest of the engagement.

"Dave Crockett" is drawing large houses at the Academy this week and judging from the advance sale it will continue its prosperous run until the end of the week. On Saturday afternoon the orphans of the city will attend the performance upon the special invitation of Manager Giffon.

The play is delightfully staged and the atmosphere of the famous old piece is faithfully preserved.

Manager Giffon has received numerous applications from members of the "400" requesting that after next week, when "The Silver King" is to be the bill, he will confine his attention to the production of society plays and light comedies. Mr. Giffon said last night that he only wanted to give his patrons what they want, and that he would not be so foolish as to produce each week by no means an easy one, he would be glad to receive suggestions and to carry them out if all circumstances permit.

The Bijou Comedy Company will return to the Bijou next Monday for the week. The company is a very successful one, and has produced each week by no means an easy one, he would be glad to receive suggestions and to carry them out if all circumstances permit.

"Before one of the largest, most brilliant and most appreciative audiences which has gathered in Birmingham in many days, the Bijou Musical Comedy Company scored a great hit last night in a reproduction of "Tuxedo." The play is clearer, the music prettier, the principles good and the chorus has lost none of the snap, ginger and looks which has made it so popular in several Southern cities.

"Tuxedo" is a comedy in two parts. The last contains all the specialties and is erected around the old time minstrel idea. One of the wealthy residents of Tuxedo proposes to give an amateur performance. His amateur wrangle and the play seems as if it is going to be a frost.

The curtain rises on the second act to see a number of men arranged in semicircle with John Quinn as the interlocutor, Chas. and Otis Harlan as the end men, and the other members as the singers. The good jokes are passed and then the soloists are called on. The entire thing is good and the songs of each were well received last night.

Stacy Moore, of the "Tuxedo," received seven encores. Mary Marble and Chas. have a neat specialty in which they appear in black faces. The song is "My Honey Bee."

### City Wins Out.

In the matter of August Simpson, the city of Richmond, the Morgan R. Mills Co. and the Southern Bell Telephone Co. in the Law and Equity Court, the jury yesterday returned a verdict for the defendants.

Mr. Simpson claimed that he was injured to the extent of \$5,000 by falling in excavation in front of the telephone office.

### Will Keep Contracts.

Mr. J. Samuel Parrell, who is counsel for the Little Studio in the matter of the dissolution of partnership of the Davis Art Gallery Co., which has been confirmed by the Chancery Court, said yesterday that his clients would be responsible for contracts already made. This will be agreeable information to a great many persons who have made contract with the studio for work.

### Episcopal Seminary.

The final exercises of the Episcopal Theological Seminary of Virginia will be held June 18-19th. The senior class this year is composed of the following members: Franklin Davis, John Edward Ewell, Thomas George Faulkner, Francis O. Hall, Noble Palmer and Robert F. Gibson.

### Mr. Frischkorn Going.

Mr. John H. Frischkorn, president of the Fire Insurance Co. of New York, has accepted an invitation to attend the International Fire Congress, to be held in London on July 7th.

### THE GRAYS GO TO WEST POINT TO-DAY

Celebrate Their Fifty-ninth Anniversary by a Picnic.

Company A, Richmond Grays, under command of Captain Henry G. Dier, will leave to-day at 1 P. M. for West Point, where they will, as guests of the Richmond Grays Veteran Association, celebrate their fifty-ninth anniversary by a picnic and sumptuous banquet.

About sixty of the active members will take part in the annual outing. The company will, if the weather permits, proceed to the City Hall, where they will be photographed in a body.

### Tutt's Pills

Cure All Liver Ills.

Arrest disease by the timely use of Tutt's Liver Pills, an old and favorite remedy of increasing popularity. Always cures

SICK HEADACHE, sour stomach, malaria, indigestion, torpid liver, constipation and all bilious diseases.

TUTT'S Liver PILLS.

## NEWS OF FAIRMOUNT

Many Interesting Matters in the Little Town.

### A JAPANESE FAN DRILL

Pretty Event to Take Place on June 18th—Graduates of the Fairmount High School—Personal and General.

The Committee on Light decided a few nights ago to place an additional light near Twenty-third and Carrington Streets and to have some grading done in that neighborhood.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society held a most interesting meeting Monday evening and received a dozen new members. Mrs. Mary Woodfin and Mrs. Emma Vest, her guest, of Philadelphia, who were badly bruised and shaken up last Monday by being thrown from the car by its running off the track on T Street, have recovered.

Mrs. H. F. Houch, of No. 211 Fairmount Avenue, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Campbell, of Norfolk. She will also visit relatives in Portsmouth.

Miss Della Mayo, of No. 208 Fairmount Avenue, is visiting friends in Baltimore, and will be gone some time.

Mrs. Annie Caudle has moved into her new home on Twenty-second Street, recently purchased from John Will.

Mrs. Mary Miller, who spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Gilliam Gancere, of Crewe, Va., has returned home. Mrs. Charles Denno, who has been visiting in the city, has returned home, near Hicks farm.

Mr. Henry Mitchell returned home a few days ago from Washington. Mrs. Shinnott is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Denno, of Norfolk.

Miss Mamie Lyman, of the West End, was the guest of Mrs. Nettie Newberry this week.

Mrs. Thomas Morris, of No. 112 Twenty-first Street, left Sunday morning for Port News to visit the family of Mr. Herbert Morris. While away Mrs. Morris will also visit other cities on the waters.

Mr. W. H. Rowland and Mrs. W. G. Smith and children, Ethel and Rowland, were visitors at Mrs. J. W. Rainey's this week.

### JAPANESE FAN DRILL.

The Japanese fan drill will be given June 18th in the lecture-room of Fairmount Methodist Church for the piano fund. As this is a very beautiful drill, a large crowd will doubtless be present.

Herbert Greenstreet, who has been visiting in the country, has returned home. Miss Ella Gentry, of Charles City county, is expected in Fairmount by her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Rainey.

Mrs. Sallie Talley has returned home from Hanover county, where she has been visiting her daughter.

Mrs. Annie Palmer, of Charlottesville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lowery, on Carrington Street.

Dr. Arthur Cosby, who formerly lived on Venable Street, near Twenty-fifth, has moved to Twenty-fourth and Broad Streets.

Mr. Joseph Putze's infant is quite sick with measles.

Mrs. Woodcock and Mrs. Beasley, of Chelsea Hill, were the guests of Mrs. Holt this week on the Avenue.

Mr. Thomas Teagle is much better to-day.

Miss Mamie Dyson, of Caroline county, is the guest of Mrs. Nellie Percy, on Twenty-first Street.

Little Albie James, infant child of Mrs. Rosa James, of Portsmouth, died Sunday morning at the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. H. F. Houch, at 211 Fairmount Avenue. The remains were taken to Portsmouth Monday for burial.

Miss Mabel Nuckols, who has been visiting Mrs. Sally White, has returned to her home in Hanover county.

Mr. Bernard P. Gallagher, who is suffering with blood-poison, is getting on as well as could be expected.

### MISSIONARY CONFERENCE.

The Methodist Missionary Conference for this district met at Laurel Hill Wednesday. Fairmount was represented by Mrs. Florence Woodcock and delegates, Mrs. Charles Palmer, Mrs. E. H. Houch, and Mrs. Gray, with several other gentlemen, will decide which is the prettiest baby that goes on the Richmond Locomotive Works excursion, which will be given June 20th at Buxton Beach.

Miss Charles Clifton and daughter, Olive were the guests of Mrs. J. W. Rainey Wednesday.

Mrs. Thomas Duke, of the West End, and Miss Willie Duke, of Verdon, Hanover county, are visiting Mrs. W. C. Taylor on the Avenue.

Mr. Oakley Terry, of Talbot, W. Va., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John W. Arnold, on Twenty-first Street.

Mrs. Ollie Oakley and children, of Highland Springs, were the guests of Mrs. Ollie Oakley, on the Avenue, the first of the week.

Miss Mattie Terry, of No. 126 Twenty-second Street, will leave shortly to visit friends in West Virginia.

Mrs. Holt, who has been ill since December, is fast getting well and is not expected to survive many days.

The final exercises of the Fairmount High School were held Friday and proved to be one of the most successful terms in the school's history. The following young ladies graduated with high honors: Jessie Ford, Addie Alston, Naves Evans, Mamie Durbin, Sallie Taylor, Helen Childers, Marian Angel and Annie Bant.

The Methodist picnic will be held at West Point June 30th.

Mrs. Mahone, of Nineteenth Street, who has been very sick, is now rapidly improving.

A tax of \$250 has been laid on all citizens who keep two cows and sell milk, and 60 cents a head in excess of that number.

TRACKS IN BAD SHAPE.

The Passenger and Power Company's attention has been called to the terrible condition of the car tracks on Twenty-second Street and the Avenue, but as yet nothing has been done. A hole large enough for a horse to be hurled in has been caused in near the corner, and is a dangerous place at night.

Messrs. P. H. W. Goodwin, J. S. Binford and William Arnold, are being prominently mentioned for the vacancy in the Council caused by the resignation of Rev. Joel T. Tucker.

The contract for removing sand north of the Avenue was awarded to J. W. Rainey, and south of that thoroughfare to H. J. Hefner.

A city supervisor was instructed to use the \$50 now available for street improvements at once, and the work will probably be begun this week.

The request of the Southern Bell Telephone Company be allowed to erect poles on certain streets was granted.

The alley running from Twenty-first to Twenty-second Street, between the Avenue and T Street, which has been closed for several years has been reopened.

The Council has decided to send the automatic lamps, which were in use before the electric lights were introduced at \$1.50 each, including poles and fixtures.



FOR SUITS WORTH

\$15, \$16.50, \$18 and \$20.

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People look for greater things from this store. They are accustomed to obtain greater values, to be afforded better results than from any other store, and that they are never disappointed will be aptly illustrated by this marvelous offering.



## Barton Heights.

Mrs. Calvin Satterfield, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Albemarle county, has returned home.

Mr. Alfred Thompson, who has been visiting Mr. Thompson, of Petersburg, has returned to Philadelphia.

A meeting of the citizens of Barton Heights and Brookland Park will be held at the schoolhouse this evening beginning at 8:30 o'clock, to consider the question of enlarging the present school building. The presence of the public school are especially requested to attend.

Miss Mattie Mitchell, who has been quite sick, is much better.